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This steamer leaves Canton for Macao every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 a.m.; and leaves Macao for Canton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 a.m.

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One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about five days. These vessels have Superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity.

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A JUNIOR ASSISTANT TEACHER  
for Kowloon Grammar School.  
Apply for terms, etc., to  
THE PRINCIPAL.

Hongkong, February 21, 1906. 368

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A SMALL GODOWN in a Central  
Position.  
Apply to  
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Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, February 21, 1906. 367

WANTED.

BY A MUSLIM INDIAN, Posi-  
tion as Book-keeper, Time-keeper, or  
Clerk in any Office. Can use a Typewriter.  
Good references.  
Apply to  
M. I.  
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, February 20, 1906. 364

NOTICE.

MADAME FLINT, having severed con-  
nection with the establishment of  
MADAME JAY, has the honour to THANK  
the LADIES of Hongkong for the kind  
support accorded her during the past five  
years, and begs to inform them that she  
will shortly OPEN a New "MACASIN  
DES MODES" purely Parisian.  
Hongkong, February 12, 1906. 301

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED are in receipt of  
Telegraphic Advice to the effect that the  
a.s. LOTHIAN, which sailed hence  
for New York on the 14th December last,  
has put into Malta for repairs, and it will  
be necessary for the steamer to dry dock  
there before proceeding on her voyage to  
New York.  
DODWELL & CO., LTD.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, February 10, 1906. 286

THE POPULAR  
SCOTCH  
IS

BLACK & WHITE

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the Purchase  
of some 900,000 Pounds of IRON and  
STEEL MATERIALS removed from the  
iron Barges on the Canton River, comprising  
SEGMENT and CYLINDRICAL PILES,  
CAST-IRON HEADS, SHAFTS, SCREWS, ETC.,  
now lying at the SHALU PORT, near  
Wuchow.

Further particulars may be obtained from the  
Harbour Master, at Canton, or from the  
Whampoa Customs Station.

No guarantee is given that the highest or  
any tender will be accepted.

F. J. MAYERS,  
Acting Commissioner of Customs.

Canton, February 8, 1906. 286

ROYAL HAIRDRESSING SALOON

No. 14, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE.

WE beg to notify the Public generally  
of Hongkong that we have just  
OPENED a First-class Tonsorial Hall at  
the above address. We make Cleanliness a  
Speciality.

VICENTE BARCENILLA, Proprietor.

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CAMPBELL, MOORE & CO.,  
LIMITED.

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OF  
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HAIR PINS,  
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The Highest Quality Award  
Joseph  
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PENS.  
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The only Award Chicago, 1901.

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REPLACED FREE.

SPECIAL VALUE IN ALL WOOL PYJAMAS.

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A FIRST CLASS HOTEL, MOST CENTRALLY SITUATED,

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LATEST AMERICAN METHODS.

NO CHARGE FOR CONSULTATION.

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ALL Kinds of FURNITURE, CARVED CANTON BLACKWOOD, CROUCHED and CHAM.

WABE, KITCHEN UTENSILS, etc., etc.

AT MODERATE PRICES.

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Per Case of 50 Bottles \$13.00.....Per dozen \$3.50

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By Royal Warrant  
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NEW SELECTIONS OF  
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For INFANTS and INVALIDS.

MELLIN'S FOOD is free from Starch  
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The Universal Remedy for Allays of the  
Stomach, Headache, Bitterness, Indigestion,  
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Cure for Gout,  
Rheumatic Gout,  
and Gravel.Sales and most  
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Infants, Children,  
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and the  
Sickness of Pregnancy.

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It is the best Remedy for

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N. S. W. AND THE  
COMMONWEALTH.

Foreshadowing Secession.

SYDNEY, JAN. 18.

At a public meeting held here to-day, presided over by the mayor, approval was expressed of the resolutions adopted by the Legislative Council and Assembly on December 7 and 8 respectively, recording the profound dissatisfaction of the New South Wales Parliament at the treatment of the State by the Commonwealth authorities, especially with regard to the question of the Federal capital.—Reuters.

## THE LIVERPOOL RAT VIRUS.

The Shooting Times and British Sportsman has recently been making some trials of the Liverpool Rat Virus, prepared by Messrs Evans, Sons, Leacher, and Webb, Ltd., of Hanover-street, Liverpool. This is not a poison in the ordinary sense of the term, but is a bacteriological culture grown on the surface of nutrient jelly, which, when mixed with food, is readily eaten by rats and mice, and produces in them a disease, which is fatal in from seven to 14 days, and which spreads from animal to animal. It is perfectly harmless to man and domestic animals, and the body of a rat which has died from the disease will not impart the same to any other animal except those of its own race. It is very easily prepared for use, and is fed to the vermin upon pieces of bread or in corn soaked in the dilution.

It was tried first in and around the houses and buildings of a small holding which was literally overrun with rats. In seeking for their haunts the experimenters discovered a store to which the vermin had carried nearly a bushel of carrots and beetroot and old linen and woollen gear, consisting of the remnants of handkerchiefs, shawls, stockings, etc., for the disappearance of which no person could be surprised, and for which various people had been blamed.

The result of the first employment of the virus was entirely satisfactory and, following upon a second, the rats completely disappeared, many having been found dead round about the place, but none within the adjoining dwelling-house. Enquiries made at adjoining premises confirm the fact that the rats there also disappeared or had greatly diminished in numbers. The virus was used also around the farm buildings of a considerable homestead with an equally favourable result.

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FOR ALL  
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If you suffer from any disease due to an impure state of the Blood, rats, whatever cause arising, yet should test the value of Clarke's Blood Mixture, the world-famed Blood Purifier and Restorer. This medicine has 40 years' reputation, and is 10 times more popular than ever. It is made of the best blood, undoubtedly because this wonderful remedy does what it professes to do—it cures Skin and Blood Diseases permanently.

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IS THE FINEST BLOOD PURIFIER  
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It is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities, from whatever cause arising. For

SCROFULA, BAD LEGS,  
SOURY, BLOTHOMS,  
ECZEMA, SPOTS,  
BLOOD POISON, BLACKHEADS,  
ULCERS, PIMPLES, and  
SKIN & BLOOD SORES OF ALL  
DISEASES, KINDS.

It is a safe and permanent remedy. It is the only real specific for Scrofula and Rheumatic Pains, for it removes the cause from the Blood and Bones.

NOTE. This mixture is pleasant to the taste, and warranted free from anystringent, to the most delicate constitution of either sex, from infancy to old age, and the proprietors solicit sufferers to give it a trial to test its value.

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CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE.  
Mr. F. E. Lewis, 48, Bridge Street Row,  
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Clarke's Blood Mixture. I had nothing to live for  
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INDUSTRIES IN THE Blood. We have seen  
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people, in which writers acknowledge the  
benefits received from Clarke's Blood  
Mixture, which is a surety agent from the  
blood, and a specific for all diseases, and  
especially for those arising from the blood.  
It is, in fact, the finest blood purifier,  
and a safe and permanent remedy. It  
can be used with entire confidence, and it is  
our subscriber and friend generally.

Sold by all Chemists and  
Druggists throughout  
the World.

Ask for  
CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE  
and receive a free sample and instructions.

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If the finest quality blander Havana Tobacco made by skilled scientific labour counts for anything

THE YOUNG AMERICAN  
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If you have not  
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SILK LACE MANUFACTURERS,  
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EMBROIDERED SILK and GRASS-CLOTH DRESS and BLOUSE PATTERNS.  
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Hongkong, February 14, 1906.

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KYOTO, JAPAN.  
A NEW AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S HOTEL on SATURDAY, the 3rd March, 1906, at 12.15 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1905, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matter that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th February, to the 3rd March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
C. MUONEY,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 15, 1906.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company at Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 8th March, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 23rd February to the 8th March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
JAMES WHITFALL,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

NOTES.—1. That the Articles of Association of the Company will be substituted for Article 150, namely:

2. That the Board, through its Secretary, shall make yearly Statements of the Accounts of the Company from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December, in each and every year, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders, at each Ordinary Meeting of the Company, together with a Report on the general condition of the Company.

3. That the Board, through its Secretary, shall make a Statement of the Accounts of the Company as from the 1st day of May, 1905, to the 31st December, 1905, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders at the next Ordinary Meeting of the Company to be held during 1906 and that, inasmuch as the Accounts of the Company have already been audited and presented to the Shareholders to the 30th April, 1906, no further or other Statements of the Accounts of the Company for the year 1905, shall be called for or presented to the Shareholders in respect of Article 150 as this day substituted.

History of the CHURCHES OF  
INDIA, BURMA, SIAM, THE MALAY  
SARAWAK, CAMBODIA, ANAM, THIBET,  
CORSA AND JAPAN.  
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MISSION EXCHANGER.  
Translated by EDWARD HARVEY PARKER  
and  
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PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

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5 Wyndham Street.

Dated the February 16, 1906.

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## Intimations.

MITSU BISHI CO.  
COAL DEPARTMENT.  
MARUNO-UCHI, TOKIO.

AGENCIES: IWASAKI,  
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MANAGER, MITSU BISHI CO., WITH  
NAME OF PLACE UNDER.

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NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE, KARATSU  
AND HANKOW.

AGENCIES.  
SHANGHAI: R. J. H. TAPP.  
HONGKONG: H. U. JEFFRIES.  
YOKOHAMA: M. ASADA.  
CHINKiang: GEARING & CO.  
MANILA: MACDONALD & CO.

CONTRACTORS OF COAL to the Imperial Japanese Navy and Foreign Navies; the Imperial Arsenals; the Imperial Railways; Sanjo, Kinsuwa and the other Principal Railways; Industrial Works; Home and Foreign Mail and Freight Steamers.  
EXPORTERS OF COAL to Hongkong, Shanghai, Hankow, Singapore, Manila, North China, Korean ports and America.  
SOLE PROPRIETORS of Takashima, Ochi, Shimow, Namazita and Kami-Yamada Collieries, and also Hajo Colliery which will shortly be ready to produce on a large scale the best Bitum Coal.  
Sole Agents for Kigyo, Komatsu (Tagawa) and Yoshiromachi Coal (Kasai).  
The Head and Branch Offices and the Agencies of the Company will receive any order for Coals produced from the above Collieries.  
Coal sold in 1904 by the Company amounted to 1,820,000 tons.

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TAKASHIMA COAL.  
New and additional shafts at the Takashima Colliery have been completed and this well-known best and most economical steam Coal in the East is now produced in abundance and can be supplied in any quantity.

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FOR CANTON.

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By Order of the Board,  
G. M. BAIN,  
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Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

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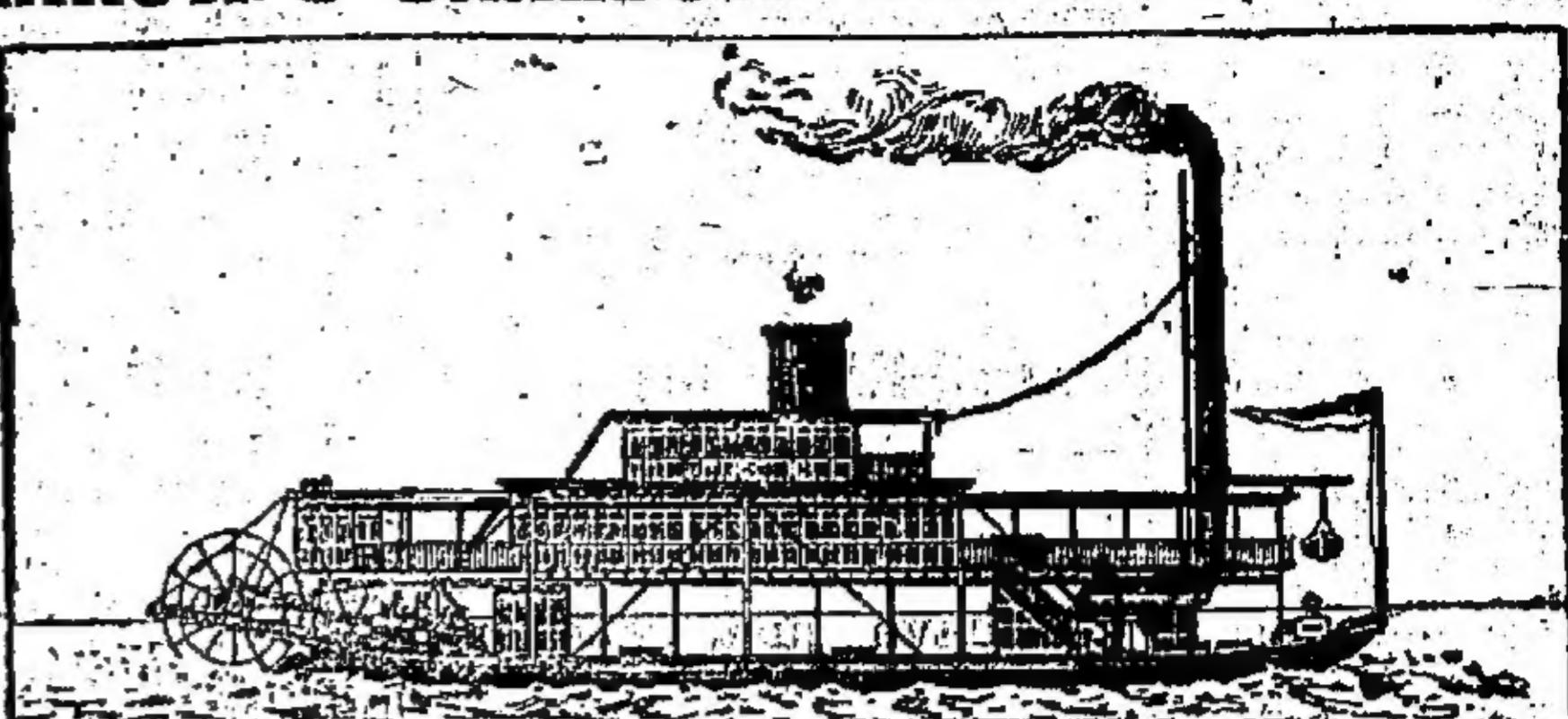
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Ducks, Loaf (dressed) ..... 65 cts. each

Ducks, Wild ..... 75 cts. each

Australian Smoked Mutton ..... 50 cts. per lb

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Geese, Local (dressed) ..... \$1.50 each

Hare, Australian 1st Grade ..... \$1.40 each

Hare, Best York ..... 70 cts. per lb

Honey, Australian "Pineapple" ..... 65 cts. "

Ham, Australian ..... 60 cts. per lb

Kidneys, Australian ..... 5 cts. each

Oysters, Australian, large size ..... 52.50 per tin

Australian Oysters 24 doz. tins ..... \$1.00, 100

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Boiled Eggs ..... 1.50 each

Partridges, Local ..... 25 cts. each

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Rabbit, Australian 1st Grade ..... 65 cts. each

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SPICIAL NOTE.

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## THE "CHARLES HARDOUIN."

## Successfully Towed off the Rocks.

The Dock Company's tug "Robert Cooke" which was despatched yesterday afternoon to try and tow the Canton River steamer "Charles Hardouin" off the rocks, where she stranded in going through the Capelmau Pass, successfully accomplished her task. After making all necessary arrangements the stranded steamer was towed into deep water at about 7 o'clock. She then came to her wharf, under her own steam. She is at present at the Kowloon Docks where the extent of the damage suffered will be ascertained, and the necessary repairs effected.

## A NOTORIOUS BRIGAND.

## Imprisoned at Canton.

Some time ago the notorious brigand Tai Kan Hsung was believed extradited from Hongkong. Since then he has been kept safely chained up in the Nam Hoi's prison. What special deprivations he is now to be condemned for the report does not say.

He is the brother of the yet more famous Tai Mai Hsung, who was brought up for examination the twenty eighth of the Chinese month, and the British Consul-General was present. There were two witnesses present whose main duty was to identify the prisoner.

His suddenly disallowed all attempts to identify him, and denied that he was Tai Kan Hsung at all.

His denial, however, served him to little purpose for he was condemned.

## FORGED PASSAGE TICKETS.

## N. D. L. Company Defrauded.

Li Yu Mui, a Chinaman who described himself as a bank clerk, was charged, at the Magistrate's this morning, with having forged certain documents purporting to be passage tickets issued by the Norddeutsche Lloyd company to entitle this bearer to travel from Hongkong to Bangkok.

Mr. H. J. Edge appeared to prosecute and the defendant was unrepresented. Evidence was called to the effect that the defendant was found to be selling passage tickets and one of the witnesses obtained 18 from him for deck passengers to travel by the steamer "Loo Sok." The tickets were sold under the usual price and the purchaser becoming suspicious went to the steamer's commodity to see if they were good. The commodity promptly detected that the tickets were forgeries. Detective Wilden then made inquiries with the result that he arrested the defendant at No. 283 Queen's Road West and there found a book of passage tickets and some forged tickets. The tickets were imitations of those issued by the N. D. L. Company.

The defendant was committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

## THE KING OF SPAIN'S MARRIAGE.

## The Religious Question.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Paris, January 26.

Princess Henry of Battenberg and Princess Eva Eugene, her daughter, have just paid a return visit to Paris. They stayed in an old-fashioned hotel in the Rue St. Honore, the Hotel Albany and St. James, where Royalty and the *Grande Monde* do not frequent. On Sunday morning, January 14, at Christchurch, the rue d'Augusteau, the congregation were greatly surprised to know after the service that the rather plainly dressed lady and the beautiful young lady who accompanied her were Their Royal Highnesses.

The Princess Eva has a very sweet voice and sang the hymns and chanted the Psalms with as much zeal and warmth as the most ardent Anglican. Hence it seems that it will not be so long before Cardinal Mercier will bring about the public "Reception" at Rome of the Princess into the Roman Communion. The feeling is very strong in Paris amongst the English and American church people, and I hear also on other parts of the Continent, against the marriage of the Princess with the King of Spain if it is to be on the condition that the princess should be received exactly as if she were a pagan. The Pope, of course, could by a word give the consent that the Princess should be treated in all respects as a baptized Christian, which she is, and not as a heathen, which she is not.

Queen Alexandra feels very strongly on this point to have it as a loyal churchwoman, and it is more than probable that the feelings of the *Grande Monde* nation will have some weight, especially in its associations with the Canonical law, rather than the Ultra-Montane and the Vatican.

The Royal Highnesses left Paris on January 17.

The Paris newspapers quote the following from Rome: "The Princess Eva of Battenberg has written to the Pope announcing her intention of entering the Roman Catholic Church. She asks for the Apostolic blessing for her marriage with the King of the country which will soon be hers." This is necessarily vague and in accordance with diplomacy. It will be curious to notice the result. All this subterfuge and diplomatic ruse might be avoided if certain clerics would remember we are living in the 20th century and not in the 12th or 14th.

## Sprained Ankle, Stiff Neck, Lame Shoulder.

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## COMPANY MEETINGS.

## Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

The ordinary half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation was held in the City Hall at noon. Mr. H. W. Slade was in the chair and there were also present: Hon. Mr. R. Shaw, Hon. Mr. G. W. Dickson, Messrs. A. Haupt, E. Goetz, O. R. Lenzmann, N. A. Siebs, G. H. Mathurst, F. Salinger, E. Schillen (Directors) J. R. M. Smith (Chief Manager), Hon. Mr. Gershom Stewart, Messrs. J. A. Jupp, W. H. Gaskell, G. Murray Bain, S. Hancock, H. E. R. Hunter, A. G. Morris, J. C. Peter, Dr. Noble, C. W. May, H. N. Mody, R. J. Stabb, Captain Tillett, H. M. H. Nemazee, H. W. Fraser, Ho Fook, J. J. Leiris, J. Barton, C. E. Anton, R. R. Hynd, L. Berindouque, F. A. Gomes, B. Layton, Ho Kien Tong, W. S. Jackson, Wong Leung Hui, J. A. Chinoy, J. MacArthur, W. Lyle, A. R. Love, J. R. Michael, J. Orange, C. H. Rogge, A. Rodger, E. Kadourie, Capt. Goddard, W. H. Wickham, A. Forbes, W. H. Purcell, Lo Cheung Shiu, Cheung Pui Kai, H. S. Michael, O. H. Thompson, E. S. Kadourie, D. Forbes, J. M. S. Alves, A. V. Apac, H. Schreiter, S. A. Levy and C. J. Gonsalves.

The Chairman announced his willingness to answer any questions, but none being asked, he moved the adoption of the report and statement of accounts.

Mr. Jupp—I have much pleasure in seconding the report and statement of accounts. I feel I am only voicing the sentiments of all shareholders present in congratulating the Directors, the Chief Manager and staff on the splendid results they are again able to place before us. The bonus of 15 per cent of their salaries voted to the staff, I am confident meets with the very hearty approval of all shareholders

and demand for foreign manufacturers and the opening of new and more extended markets in this large and important province.

Gentlemen, the Bank continues to improve its position; we have made a good start for the present half year and I think you may safely look forward with confidence to the future.

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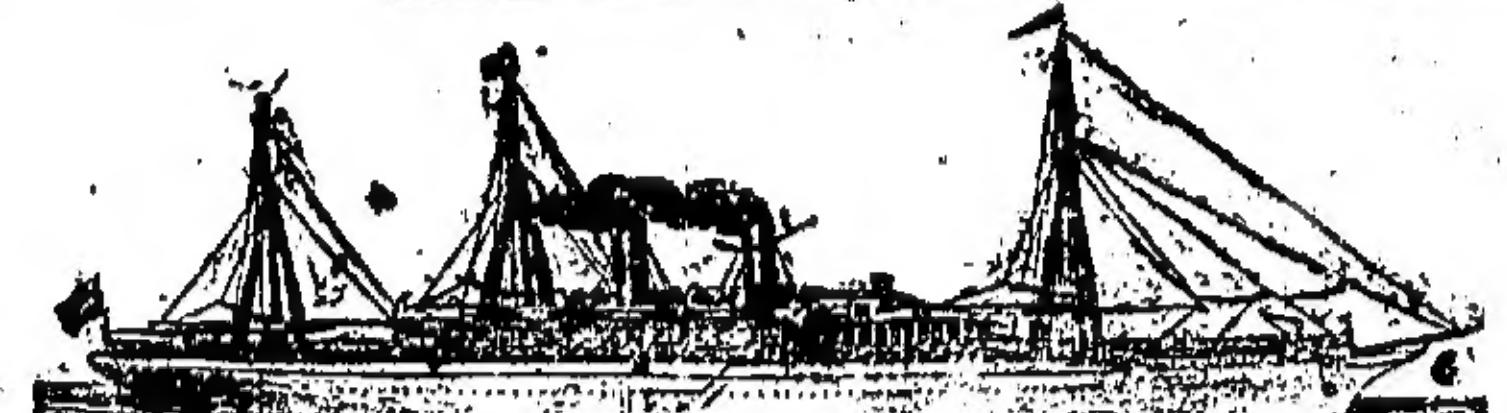
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+ SAMARANG..... TUESDAY, Mar. 1. 3 P.M.  
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—  
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For LEAVING  
DAIKIN MARU, Capt. H. OHRA, TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW, SUNDAY, Feb. 25, a.m.  
DAIGI MARU, Capt. G. TAGAMI, TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW, SUNDAY, Mar. 4, a.m.  
MAIDOURU MARU, Capt. M. MURAKAMI, ANPING, VIA SWATOW, WEDNESDAY, Mar. 7, a.m.  
+ ANPING MARU, Capt. M. SHIRAKI, SHANGHAI, VIA SWATOW, THURSDAY, Mar. 15, a.m.  
SHOSHU MARU, Capt. NAKAMURA, AMOY and FOOCHEW, AMOY and FOOCHEW, THURSDAY, Mar. 15, a.m.

These Steamers have excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. Unrivalled Table, A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

+ Taking Cargo on Through Bills of Lading to all Yangtze &amp; Northern China Ports.

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TREMONT.....	9806	T. W. Garlick.....	About Feb. 27.
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SEAWHUT.....	9806	E. V. Roberts.....	About April 28.

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## Shipping.

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AUSTRALIAN, JAVA, AND SUMATRA PORTS.

## EUROPEAN SERVICE.

## OUTWARDS.

From	STEAMERS	To	Due
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	AGAMEMNON	8th March.	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TEENAI	13th	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	KEEHN	17th	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	MACHAON	20th	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	KINPECK	28th	

## HOMEWARDS.

From	STEAMERS	To	SAIL
AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP	SAINTE BEDE	27th February.	
AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP	ACHILLE	13th March.	
GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL	PELEUS	20th	
AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP	ALCOUNGE	27th	
AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP	DROMED	10th April.	
GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL	AGAMEMNON	20th	
AMSTERDAM, LONDON & ANTWERP	TEENAI	24th	

\* Taking Cargo for Liverpool at London Rates.

\* Twin Screws.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

\* SIBERIA..... 18,000 Gross Tons, FRIDAY, 2nd Mar., at Noon.

\* AMERICA MARU..... 11,000 " SATURDAY, 3rd Mar., at Noon.

\* MONGOLIA..... 27,000 " SATURDAY, 10th Mar., at Noon.

\* CHINA..... 10,200 " SATURDAY, 24th Mar., at Noon.

\* NIPPON MARU..... 11,000 " TUESDAY, 3rd April, at Noon.

\* DORIO..... 9,500 " TUESDAY, 10th April, at Noon.

\* MONGOLIA..... 27,000 " TUESDAY, 17th April, at Noon.

\* HONGKONG MARU..... 11,000 " TUESDAY, 24th April, at Noon.

\* KOREA..... 18,000 " TUESDAY, 1st May, at Noon.

\* COPTIC..... 9,000 " FRIDAY, 11th May, at Noon.

RECORD FAST TRIPS.

Yokohama to San Francisco..... a.s. SIBERIA, 18,000 tons, September 18-27th 1895.

10 days, 11 hours and 5 minutes.

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THE P. M. Steamship SIBERIA, will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, (INLAND SEA), KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on FRIDAY, the 2nd March, 1895, at Noon, taking cargo for Japan and the United States.

SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japanese Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Companies' and connecting Steamers.

For further Information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Companies, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS.

S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.

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PORTLAND AND ASIATIC  
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, via INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, MOJI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA; FOR PORTLAND, OREGON.

OPERATING IN CONNECTION WITH THE OREGON RAILROAD &amp; NAVIGATION CO.

STEAMERS CAPTAIN. TO SAIL ON.

ARAGONIA..... 5193 ERNST..... Mar. 11, at Daylight.

NICOMEDIA..... 4370 WAGEMANN..... Mar. 23, at Daylight.

NOMANTIA..... 4370 FELDMANN..... April 8, at Daylight.

ARABIA..... 4483 METZELSTEIN..... May 1, at Daylight.

Through Bills of Lading issued to Pacific Coast Points and all Eastern, Canadian and United States Points. For through rates of Freight and further information, communicate with or apply to

S. SILVERSTONE, Acting General Agent.

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NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA  
(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY).

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS.

## AUSTRALIAN LINE.

STEAMERS DESTINATIONS SAILING DATES.

NIKKO MARU, (Tons 5,659 Gross Reg.) MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, FRIDAY, 16th March, at 4 p.m.

Captain LEE.

These steamers possess passenger accommodation unrivaled in luxury and comfort, by any other steamers plying between the Orient and Australia. High-class

Cuisine, Electric Light and Refrigerator—Doctor and Stewards carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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THE Company's Steamship AUSTRIA.

Captain COLLEMAND, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 6th March, p.m.

This Steamer has splendid accommodation for passengers, Electric Light, carries a Doctor and Stewards.

For information as to Passage &amp; Freight, apply to

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## MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

## FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE,

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Taking cargo in through routes to the BEAVERS, to SOUTH AFRICA, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, SINGAPORE, LEBANON, VENICE and ADRIATIC PORTS.

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THE Company's Steamship TOURANE.

Captain GUARD, will be despatched for MARSEILLE, on TUESDAY, the 6th March, 1895, at 1 p.m.

## Shipping.

## PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

## HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1906.

## PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

FOR  
MARSEILLES & LONDON,TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR  
COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c.

THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO NEW YORK.

STEAMERS to COLOMBO	LEAVES HONGKONG	Connecting Steamers from COLOMBO to MARSEILLES & LONDON (Brindisi 2 days earlier)	Due at Plymouth 1 day later)
DELHI.....	TONS 8,000 Feb. 24	MOLDAVIA..... 10,000 Mar. 24	Saturday, Mar. 24
DONGOLA.....	8,000 Mar. 10	MONGOLIA..... 10,000 April 7	Friday, April 13
DELTA.....	8,000 Mar. 24	MOLTOVIA..... 10,000 April 21	Friday, April 27
QUEANA.....	7,000 April 7	MARMORA..... 10,000 May 5	Saturday, May 11
ARCADIA.....	7,000 April 21	VICTORIA..... 7,000 June 20	Sunday, June 26
DEVANIA.....	8,000 May 5	HIMALAYA..... 7,000 June 17	June 23
DELHI.....	8,000 May 19	INDIA..... 8,000	INDIA..... 8,000 June 17

Passengers change steamers at Colombo, and those for Brindisi transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at Port Said.

Accommodation in the connecting steamer from Colombo is arranged in Hongkong at time of booking.

In addition to the above Mail Steamers the following:-

## INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSHIPMENT) STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE FOR

## LONDON,

TAKING SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

STEAMERS.	LEAVES HONGKONG	Due at LONDON
SUMATEA.....	TONAGE 5,000 February	about 28 April
NUBIA.....	6,000 March	14 April
JAVA.....	4,500 March	23 May
FORMOSA.....	4,500 April	11 May

These Steamers call also at Singapore, Penang, Colombo, and at Malta or Marseilles.

† 'SUMATEA' and 'NUBIA' call at MARSEILLES.

† 'JAVAN,' 'JAVA' and 'FORMOSA' carry only First Saloon Passengers.

For Passage, Apply to

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INTERRUPTION OF THE VOYAGE IN EGYPT.

Passengers to Europe and New York are entitled to travel by the N. D. L. Mediterranean Steamers from Alexandria, to Naples or Marseilles instead of using

An Imperial Mail Steamer from Port Said.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG,  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE, PENANG AND COLOMBO.Capt. MULLER.  
26th February, 1906. Freight.FOR HAVRE, BREMEN AND HAMBURG,  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE, PENANG AND COLOMBO.S.S. SAMIAH,  
Capt. EHLERS.  
7th March, 1906. Freight.FOR HAMBURG,  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE.

13th March, 1906. Freight.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG,  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE, PENANG AND COLOMBO.S.S. SAXONIA,  
Capt. SACHS.  
21st March, 1906. Freight.FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG,  
CALLING AT SINGAPORE, PENANG AND COLOMBO.S.S. RILSIA,  
Capt. BAILEY.  
4th April, 1906. Freight & Passengers.

† Special attention of intending Passengers is drawn to the splendid accommodation of this steamer. Saloons and Cabins amply furnished. Lighted throughout by Electricity.

Duly qualified Doctor and Stewardess are carried.

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HONGKONG OFFICE,  
KING'S BUILDINGS.

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REGULAR FOUR-WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN  
JAVA, CHINA AND JAPAN.

STEAMERS. FROM EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT WILL LEAVE FOR ON OR ABOUT

TJIMAH..... JAVA, Second half February, JAPAN, via SHANGHAI.

TJILIWONG..... JAPAN, Second half February, JAPAN PORTS.

TJIPANAS..... JAVA, First half March, JAPAN, via SHANGHAI.

TJILLATJAP..... JAPAN, Second half March, JAPAN PORTS.

The steamers are all fitted throughout with Electric Light, and have accommodation for a limited number of saloon passengers, and will take cargo to all Ports in Netherlands, India or through B.L.

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Java-China-Japan Lijn,  
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## EUROPEAN LINES.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID

NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG;

STEAMERS WILL ALSO CALL AT GIBRALTAR AND SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND

PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

STEAMERS.

SAILING DATES 1906.

ZIETEN, PRINZESS ALICE, BAYERN, PRINZ REGENT LUITPOLD, PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH, SACHSEN, PRINZ HEINRICH, ROON.

WEDNESDAY, 28th February, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 14th March, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 28th March, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 11th April, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 25th April, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 9th May, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd May, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 6th June, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 13th June, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 20th June, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 27th June, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 4th July, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 11th July, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 18th July, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 25th July, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 1st August, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 8th August, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 15th August, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd August, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 29th August, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 5th September, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 12th September, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 19th September, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 26th September, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 10th October, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 17th October, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 24th October, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 31st October, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 7th November, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 14th November, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 21st November, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 28th November, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 5th December, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 12th December, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 19th December, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 26th December, 1906.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd January, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 9th January, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 16th January, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd January, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 30th January, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 6th February, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 13th February, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 20th February, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 27th February, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 5th March, 1907.

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WEDNESDAY, 16th April, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd April, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 30th April, 1907.

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WEDNESDAY, 18th June, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 25th June, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd July, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 9th July, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 16th July, 1907.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd July,

SPORTING.  
Racquets.

The following are the handicaps and draw for the Racquets Tournament:—  
SINGLES: R. T. Birbeck (rec. 2 hands and 8 points) a byo; R. Hancock (scr.) v. Lt. H. Lowell (rec. 2 hands and 6 pts); T. E. Pearce (rec. 2 h. and 6 p.) v. Lt. Cass Morris (rec. 2 h. and 8 p.); T. C. Gray (rec. 2 h. and 0 p.); Lt. Col. Fliton (rec. 2 h. and 4 p.); Lt. Duncan (rec. 2 h. and 0 p.) v. H. W. Shad (rec. 2 h. and 4 p.); G. H. Edwards (rec. 2 h. and 7 p.); Capt. Vercer (rec. 2 h. and 2 p.); Lt. F. B. Humphreys (rec. 2 h. and 8 p.); Lt. M. W. Graham (rec. 2 h. and 3 p.) a byo; Lt. M. W. Graham (rec. 2 h. and 3 p.) a byo.

DOUBLES: H. P. Thomas and T. E. Pearce (rec. 6 points) a byo; G. H. Edwards and C. A. Parker (rec. 7 points) v. Lt. F. B. Humphreys and Cass Morris (rec. 4 points); W. A. Orake and R. Henderson (rec. 7 points); Lt. Col. Fliton and Lt. M. W. Graham (scr.); Capt. Vercer and Lt. Lowell (scr.) a byo.

CHAMPIONSHIP: Lt. Col. Fliton v. Capt. Vercer; Lt. M. W. Graham v. R. Hancock.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1906

CHURCH SERVICES.  
St. John's Cathedral.

QUINQUAGINTA SUNDAY.  
Holy Communion (7.30 a.m.).  
Matins (11 a.m.).  
R. responses, Ferial: Venite, Ouseley;  
P. alms, Jones, Lorum, Dupuis, King;  
Te Deum, Woodward, Smart and  
Turle; Benedictus, Langdon; Hymn,  
432, 249, 192.  
Evening (5.45 p.m.).  
Responses, Ferial: Psalms, Purcell,  
Garrett, Walmsley and Turle; Magnificat  
and Nunc Dimittis, Maundor in  
D; Anthem: "No Shadows Yon-  
der"; Gau; Hymn, 410, 27;  
Sevenfold Amen; Voluntary, Ro-  
mane, Tschalkowsky.

Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Minister: Rev. C. H. Hickling.  
11 a.m.—Worship: Hymn 128, Chant  
12, Anthem: "Jesus Word of God" (Gounod); Hymn 671, 40.  
12 noon—Communion around the Lord's  
Table, Hymn 405.  
4 p.m.—Sunday School at Union Church  
and in British School, Kowloon.  
6 p.m.—Worship: Hymn 122, 169, 182,  
27, 350.  
7 p.m.—Farewell in School all to those  
leaving Hongkong.

Wednesday—Annual Meeting of Hong-  
kong and New Territory Evangelical  
Society.

8.45 p.m.—Light refreshments.

8 p.m.—Meeting.

Thursday, 9 p.m.—Literary Club Paper  
on "Books and their worth" by Mr  
J. L. Macpherson.Friday 7.30 p.m.—Christian Endeavour  
Society: Subject: "Hopes and  
Revival."St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road  
West.

QUINQUAGINTA SUNDAY.

Morning Prayer 11 a.m.

Venite, Tucker; Te Deum, Jackson;

Benedictus, Garrett; Hymns, 1, 384,  
298, 468; Kyrie, Arnold.

Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

Cantata, Monk; Deus, Hopkins; Hymn,  
376, 360, 271, 55.

Holy Communion (7.45 p.m.).

The Church launch Day-spring will  
call on the ships carrying white crews  
to bring friends ashore to the services  
between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m., and between  
6.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier  
16.30 and 6), returning afterwards.

The answering pennant is the call flag.  
All the sittings are free and unappropriated.  
Visitors welcome. Hymn Books, &c.,  
provided.

Sunday School: 10—10.45 a.m.

Wesleyan Methodist Church,  
Wanchai.

Morning: 10.15 a.m.

Evening: 6 p.m.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home,  
Arsenal Street.

Sunday evening 8 p.m.

Books provided—seats free—a hearty  
welcome.

Sundays, Naval Depot, Kowloon.

Evening: 8 p.m.

Holy Communion.—3rd Sundays: 7 p.m.

Peak Church.

Holy Communion: 8 a.m.

Deutsche Kirche,  
Gottesdienst: um 11 Uhr. in Betheda  
Kapelle, Caine Road.

## To-day's Advertisements



## GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE, BRITISH  
and MEXICAN DOLLARS, current  
in this Colony, in Exchange for Sterling  
Bills drawn at 10 days' sight on the  
Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's  
Treasury, London, will be received by the  
Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department,  
until 11 a.m. on the 26th February, 1906.

The Tenders to state the total amount  
(in Pounds Sterling) and the amount for  
which each Bill should be drawn, but no  
Bill will be issued for less than £100.

The Tenders to be in Duplicate, and in  
Sealed Covers, addressed to the Chief Pay-  
master, Army Pay Department, and en-  
closed "TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT BILLS".

The right to accept or reject any or all of  
the Tenders is reserved.

Copies of Form of tender can be had on  
application.

W. E. GALE, Captain, A.P.D.,  
H.M. Treasury Chest Officer.

His Majesty's Treasury Office,

Fletcher Street,  
Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 388

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.

FEBRUARY, 2006.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-  
year ending December, 1905, at the  
rate of ONE POUND and FIFTEEN  
SHILLINGS together with a Bonus of  
£12.50 per share on and after MONDAY,  
the 26th day of February, Current, at the  
Offices of the Corporation who are Share-  
holders are requested to apply for War-  
rants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
J. R. M. SMITH,  
Chief Manager,  
Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 389

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.  
NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the GREEN ISLAND CEMENT  
COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the  
OFFICE of the COMPANY, St. George's Building,  
Chater Road, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day  
of March, 1906, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., when  
the subjoined Resolution will be proposed.

Should the Resolution be passed by the  
required majority, it will be submitted for  
confirmation as a Special Resolution to a  
Second Extraordinary Meeting which will  
be subsequently convened.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be in-  
creased to £2,000,000 by the creation  
and issue of 50,000 New Shares of  
£10 each fully paid up, to be offered at par  
and if accepted to be allotted to the  
persons constituting the Share-  
holders of the Company according to  
the Company's register of Share  
holders on the 1st day of July, 1905,  
in the proportion of one New Share  
for every three Old Shares in the  
Company held by the respective  
Shareholders thereof, the amount  
payable on each of such New Shares  
to be paid on the 31st day of July,  
1906, and that failing such allotment  
as aforesaid, the said New Shares be  
disposed of by the General Manager  
in accordance with the Company's  
Articles of Association.

Notice of Intended Dividends.

No. 6 of 1906.

Re THE KAM TAX TAX firm, lately trading  
at No. 45a, Bonham Strand,  
Victoria aforesaid, as Merchant.

No. 28 of 1906.

Re THE HANG ON firm, lately trading at  
No. 102, Queen's Road Central,  
Victoria, in the Colony of Hong-  
kong, as Merchant and Foreign  
Goods Dealers.

No. 28 of 1906.

Re CHEUNG COOK NAM, lately trading  
as Dealer in Jewellery, Silk and  
Ivory ware, at No. 41, Queen's Road  
Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong-  
kong, under the style of WAH  
SHING.

A first and final dividend is intended  
to be declared in the above matters.

Creditors who have not proved their debts  
by the 5th day of March, 1906, will be  
excluded.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1906.

G. H. WAKEMAN,  
Official Receiver.

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 392

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-  
tions from J. M. Beck, Esq., to sell  
by Public Auction,

TUESDAY,

the 27th February, 1906, at 2 p.m., within  
his Residence—DUNFORD, The Peak.—  
THE WILDELYE H.  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
Comprising—

TEAKWOOD HANFORDS with GLASS, TEAK-  
WOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE, VIENNA  
CHAIR, TEAKWOOD SIDEBOARD with GLASS,  
DINING WAGGONS, CROCKERY and GLASS  
WARE, BOOKCASE, E.P. and SILVERWARE,  
DOUBLES BRAID-MOUNTED BEDSTEAD with  
WIRE and HAIR MATTRESS, MATTRESS-TOP  
WASHSTANES and TEA-WEAVING HANDLES with  
GLASS, WARDROBE, SHANGHAI BATHS,  
COOKING STOVE and UTENSILS, &c.; &c.;  
etc.

A Quantity of PLANTS in POTS.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers,

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 380

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-  
tions to sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY,

the 3rd March, 1906, commencing at  
2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms,  
DUNDEE STREET,—

A QUANTITY OF  
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
FURNITURE

Comprising:—

TAPESTRIES, COVERED DRAWING ROOM  
SETTE, OVERMANTLES with BEVELLED  
MIRRORS, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, TEAK-  
WOOD, BRAID-MOUNTED BEDSTEADS, &c.

TERMS:—As customary.

On view from Friday, the 2nd March,

1906.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,

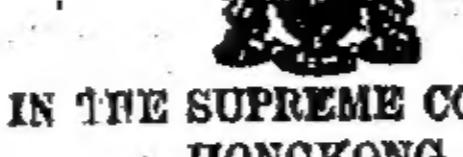
Auctioneer,

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 388

## 50 Cents per lb.

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## To-day's Advertisements

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF  
HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice of Receiving Order and First  
Meeting of Creditors.

No. 61 of 1906.

Re THE SUN WO SANG Firm, lately  
trading at No. 26, Tung Man Lane,  
granite House, Victoria, in the Colony  
of Hongkong, Coal Merchant.

Receiving Order dated the 8th day of  
February, 1906.

Petition dated the 30th day of Novem-  
ber, 1905.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28,  
'ALADDIN'  
ONE NIGHT ONLY.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27,  
'SEROT, BRUE.'

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28,  
'LITTLE MICHAEL.'

THURSDAY, MARCH 1.  
THE EARL AND THE GIRL.'

Plan at ROBINSON PIANO CO., LTD.  
Doors Open at 8.30. Commence 9 p.m.  
Late Cars to the Peak will run nightly  
after the Performance.

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 295

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-  
ING CORPORATION.

FEBRUARY, 2006.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-  
year ending December, 1905, at the  
rate of ONE POUND and FIFTEEN  
SHILLINGS together with a Bonus of  
£12.50 per share on and after MONDAY,  
the 26th day of February, Current, at the  
Offices of the Corporation who are Share-  
holders are requested to apply for War-  
rants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
J. R. M. SMITH,  
Chief Manager,  
Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 389

## NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the GREEN ISLAND CEMENT  
COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the  
OFFICE of the COMPANY, St. George's Building,  
Chater Road, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day  
of March, 1906, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., when  
the subjoined Resolution will be proposed.

Should the Resolution be passed by the  
required majority, it will be submitted for  
confirmation as a Special Resolution to a  
Second Extraordinary Meeting which will  
be subsequently convened.

RESOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be in-  
creased to £2,000,000 by the creation  
and issue of 50,000 New Shares of  
£10 each fully paid up, to be offered at par  
and if accepted to be allotted to the  
persons constituting the Share-  
holders of the Company according to  
the Company's register of Share  
holders on the 1st day of July, 1905,  
in the proportion of one New Share  
for every three Old Shares in the  
Company held by the respective  
Shareholders thereof, the amount  
payable on each of such New Shares  
to be paid on the 31st day of July,  
1906, and that failing such allotment  
as aforesaid, the said New Shares be  
disposed of by the General Manager  
in accordance with the Company's  
Articles of Association.

Notice of Intended Dividends.